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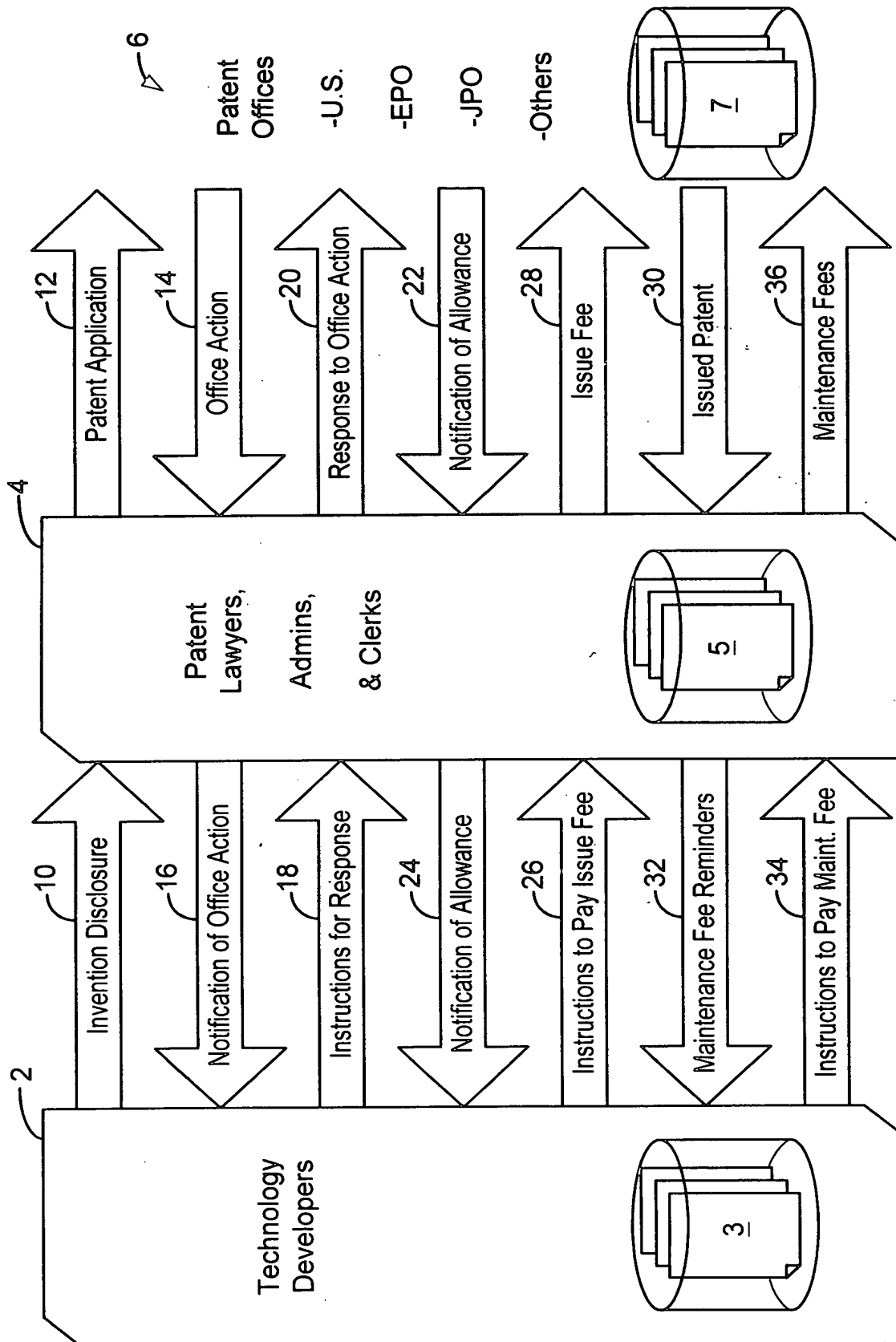
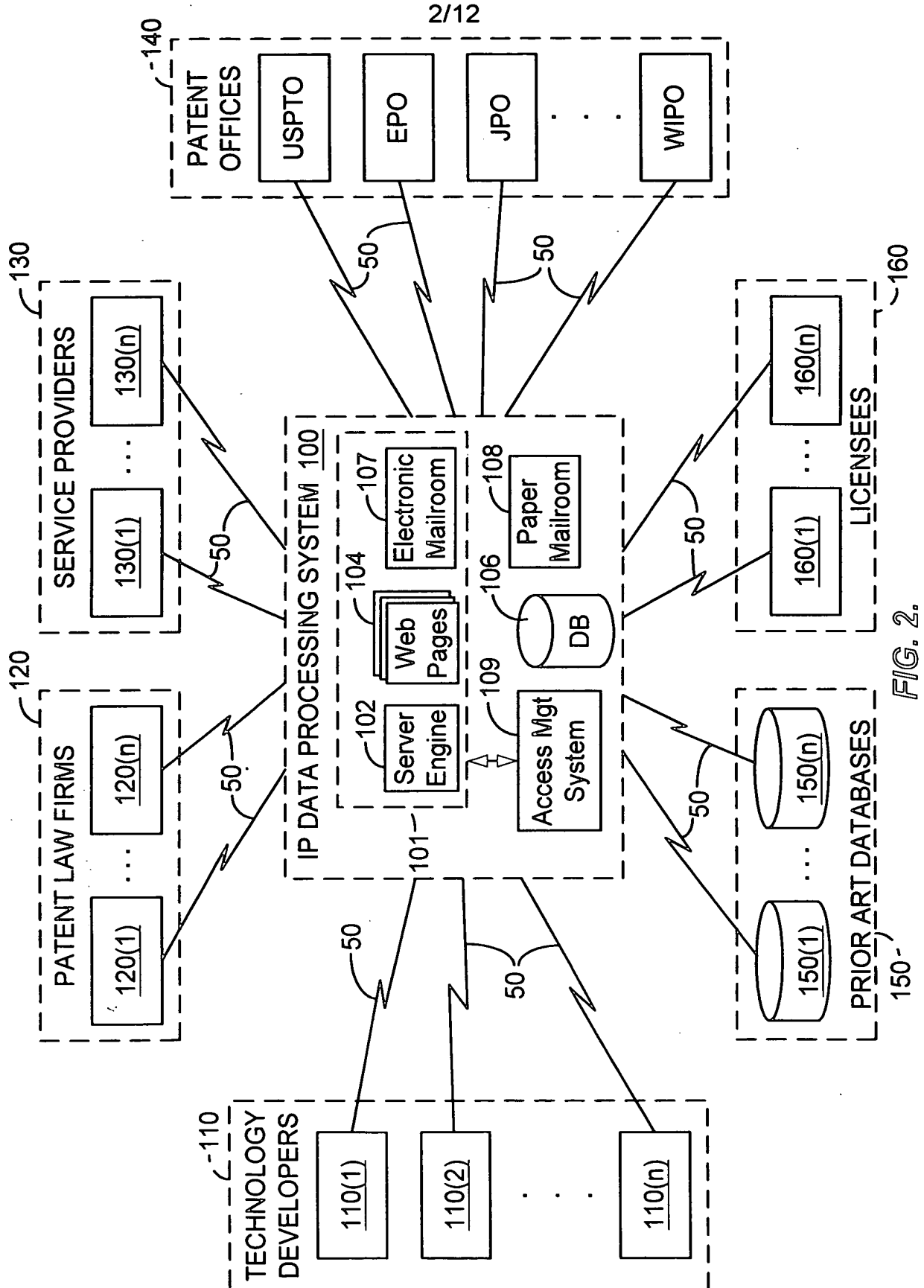


FIG. 1.



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Please enter a title for your invention?

Improved Gadget 42

Please enter the names of the inventors?

44a Joe Smith

44b Bob Brown

44c Lisa Little

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FIG. 3A.

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Step 1

Goal:
The goal of this step is to summarize your invention.

Example:
My widget does...

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What problem does your invention solve?

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FIG. 3B.

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Step 2

Goal:

The goal of this step is to find out if there has been any work done in the same field as your invention.

Example:

Other widget like mine are...

How have others solved the same problem?

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Give some examples of comparable products or devices:

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FIG. 3C.

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Step 3

Goal:

The goal of this step is to get a detailed description of what exactly your invention does and how it does it. Be as detailed as possible.

Example:

My widget does...

How did you solve the problem?

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FIG. 3D.

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Step 4

Goal:

The goal of this step is to find out if there are other ways to do the same thing your invention does.

Example:

Other ways to do the same thing are...

What are some other ways you could do the same thing?

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FIG. 3E.

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Step 5

Goal:

The goal of this step is to document when you first thought of your solution.

Example:

I first documented my idea on...

When did you first think of this solution?

Did you reduce the solution to practice? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If so, to when?:

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FIG. 3F.

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Step 6

Goal:

The goal of this step is disclose to the Patent Office any research related to your invention that you have done during the development of your invention.

Example:

My widget does...

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Did you do a prior art search? ☐ Yes ☒ No
If so, when did you do the search?:

Upload results:

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FIG. 3G.

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Step 8

Goal:

The goal of this step is to determine if your invention is still patentable. If you have disclosed your invention publicly [e.g.- at a trade show, or in an article], it must have been done less than a year ago.

Example:

My widget does...

Has there been public disclosure? ☐ Yes ☒ No
If so, to whom?:

When?:

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FIG. 3H.

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Step 9

Goal:

The goal of this step is to expedite the filing process if you are about to disclose your invention in a public forum [e.g.- you are about to show it at a trade show].

Is public disclosure imminent? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If so, to whom?:

When?:

Example:

My widget does...

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FIG. 3I.

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Step 10

Goal:

The goal of this step is to allow you to upload any drawings or sketches you may have done to describe your invention.

Example:

My widget does...

If you have any diagrams or drawings, upload them now?

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FIG. 3J.

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Step 11

Goal:

The goal of this step is to allow you to upload any supporting documents you may have other than those already listed like test data or dna blueprints.

If you have any other supporting documents such as test reports, or data collections, upload them now?

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Example:

My widget does...

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FIG. 3K.

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Step 12

Goal:

The goal of this step is to have one of your peers read and witness that you did do the work and that it makes sense. At the same time, you will be submitting your disclosure to your legal department to be reviewed for patentability.

Submit for witnessing and attorney review.

If you wish to have your disclosure witnessed, select the person you wish to have witness it below:

[A]	[B]	[C]	[D]	[E]	[F]	[G]	[H]	[I]
[J]	[K]	[L]	[M]	[N]	[O]	[P]	[Q]	[R]
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Example:

My widget does...

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FIG. 3L.

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FIG. 4A.

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734-64-4586438 Smart Server	<input type="checkbox"/>	WARNING - Timetable slip...	United States		Jon Farmer
758-45-3748239 Fiberoptic Connector	<input type="checkbox"/>	Check Table 1 informa...	United States		Les Greene
945-45-2543467 Parallel Connector...	<input type="checkbox"/>	Draft for your review	United States		Nancy Kao
985-34-3456345 Router Bypass Switch	<input type="checkbox"/>	Please review new draft...	United States		Darren Chin

FIG. 4B.

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FIG. 4C.

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734-64-4586438	Smart Server	WARNING: Time table slip...	United States Jon Farmer
758-45-3748239	Fiberoptic Connector	Check Table 1 information...	United States Les Greene
956-45-2543467	Parallel Connection...	Draft for your review...	United States Nancy Kao
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FIG. 4D.

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FIG. 4E.

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857-28-5748392	High Voltage Servo...	10.14.00	\$1200.00	United States	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No		
947-34-8238493	Optical Modem Bank	10.20.00	\$1000.00	United States	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No		
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FIG. 4G.

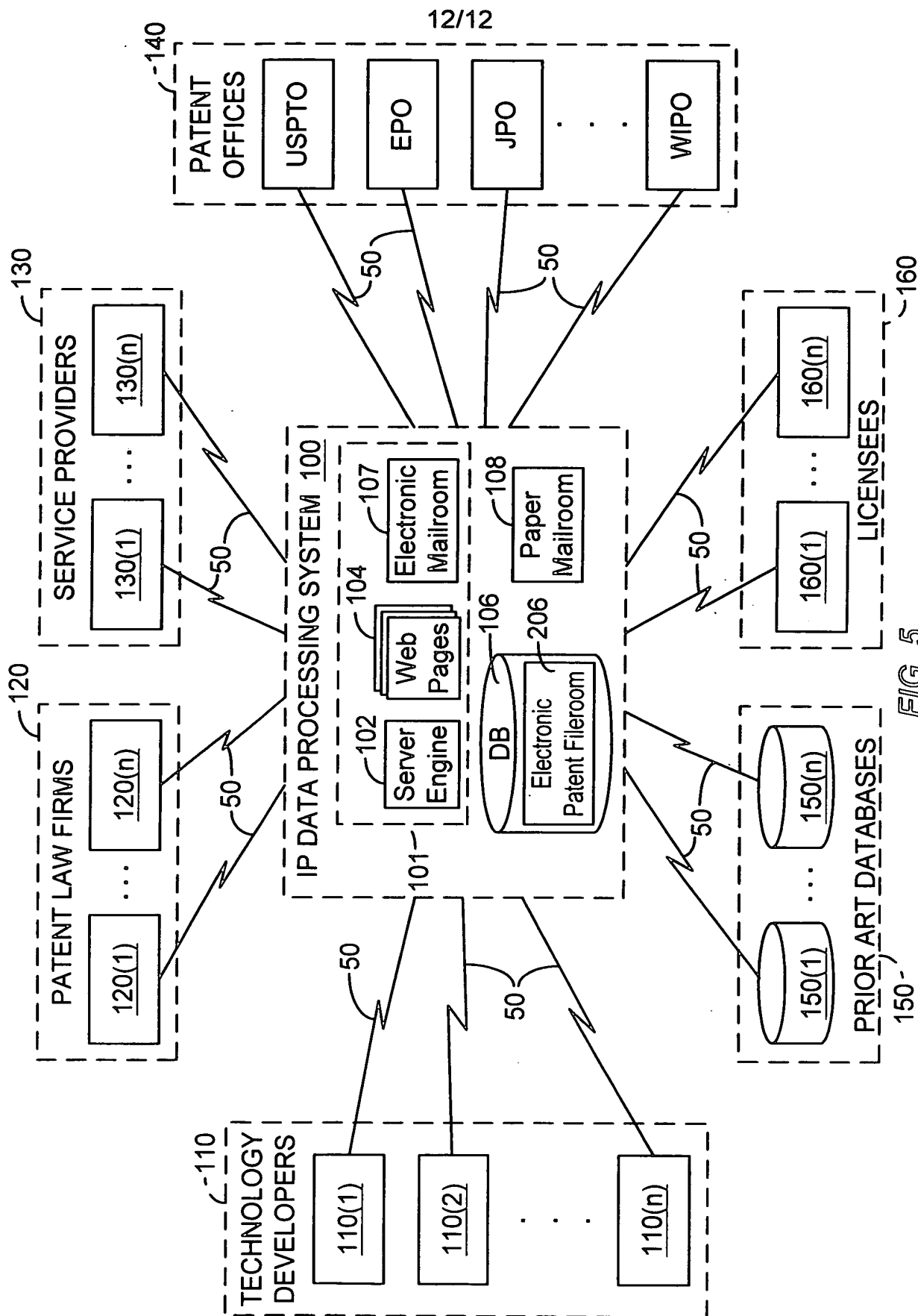


FIG. 5.